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Miss Elsie Vandergriff, one of the
best known young ladies of Montrose
and who has frequently visited in
Grand Junction, claims that she was
the victim of a robbery perpetrated
by Eddie Gray, of Pueblo, aged 15
years, who acted as a messenger in
the senate during the session of the
legislature. The boy was arrested in
Denver yesterday on the charge of
stealing \$135 from Miss Vandergriff,
who was assistant reading clerk of
the senate.

When taken before Chief of Police
Armstrong, of Denver, the boy emphatically denied the charge made
against him. A search of his clothing and his rooms failed to reveal
the money. Despite this, the boy was
locked up in the matron's quarters
of the city jail last night pending as
investigation of the case.

Miss Vandergriff says that she left
her purse, containing \$136, on her
desk in the senate chamber Monday.
When she returned to the desk the
purse was gone. She declares that
she is confident Gray took the purse
during her absence.